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Updates to the supporting documents

Since the first publication of the EUIAS Gas Engineering Operative (GEO) Supporting Documents, the following updates have been made.

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V1.0	August 2024	First published	All



Appendix A: Glossary

Amplification – provides more detail on how individual knowledge, skills or behaviours statements should be interpreted. Where the KSB statements, themselves are deemed self-explanatory, no amplification is provided. Assessment may include questions on anything identified in the amplification

Behaviours (as part of KSBs) – specific mindsets, attitudes or approaches identified as part of the apprenticeship standard that must be evidenced during endpoint assessment

Elements – are the knowledge, skills and behaviours and what is needed to competently undertake the duties required for an occupational standard

Gateway - the stage of the apprenticeship where the apprentice, employer and training provider determine whether the apprentice is ready to undertake end-point assessment

Guidance – is only provided where it is required to support interpretation of the KSB statements

Knowledge (as part of KSBs) – specific information, technical detail, and 'knowhow' identified as part of the apprenticeship standard that must be evidenced during end-point assessment

Pathways – a specialist route within an apprenticeship standard that builds on the occupational competence for a new entrant to the occupation

Skills (as part of KSBs) – the practical application of knowledge identified as part of the apprenticeship standard that must be evidenced during end-point assessment

Standard – An occupational standard is a description of an occupation. It contains occupational profile, and describes KSBs needed for someone to be competent in the occupation's duties. Occupational standards are developed by employers for occupations that meet the Institute for Apprenticeships and Technical Education current occupation criteria

Topic - is a collection of elements grouped into a theme e.g. Health and Safety



Appendix B: Gateway Eligibility Form

(Standard Version: ST0155 version 1.1)

Apprentice's name:	Apprentice's job title:
Name of Employer:	Name of Training provider:
Employer representatives present:	Training provider representatives present:
Apprenticeship start date:	Apprenticeship on-programme end date:
Gateway meeting date:	
Has the apprentice taken any part of the end-point assessment for this apprenticeship standard with any other End Point Assessment Organisation?	Y/N
If "Yes" please give details:	



Apprentice's details

Eligibility requirements:

The apprentice must confirm their achievement of the following:

Eligibility requirement	Achieved by the apprentice? Y/N	Evidence (Scans of certificates MUST be included)
They are ready to take the EPA		
Achieved English in line with apprenticeship funding rules		
Achieved Maths in line with apprenticeship funding rules		
Achieved IGEM IG/1 supplement 2 certification (Natural Gas) or IGEM IG/1 supplement 4 certification (LPG)		
Matters of Gas Safety Competency Accreditations		
Compiled and submitted a competent portfolio of evidence that meets the specification requirements, on which the interview will be based		



Gateway Eligibility Declaration

- 1. The apprentice, the employer and the training provider must sign this form to confirm that they understand and agree to the following:
- 2. The apprentice has completed the required on-programme elements of the apprenticeship and is ready for end-point assessment with EUIAS.
- 3. EUIAS has been informed about any reasonable adjustment and/or special considerations requests.
- 4. The apprentice will only submit their own work as part of end-point assessment.
- 5. All parties agree that end-point assessment evidence may be recorded and stored by EUIAS for quality assurance purposes.
- 6. The apprentice has been on-programme for a minimum duration of 365 days.
- 7. The apprentice has confirmed they are ready to take the EPA.
- 8. The apprentice has achieved English and maths in line with apprenticeship funding rules.
- The apprentice has achieved IGEM IG/1 supplement 2 certification (Natural Gas) or IGEM IG/1 supplement 4 certification (LPG)
- 10. The apprentice has achieved Matters of Gas Safety Competency Accreditations
- 11. The apprentice has compiled and submitted a competent portfolio of evidence, on which the interview will be based.
- 12. The apprentice, if successful, gives permission for EUIAS to request the apprenticeship. certificate from the ESFA who issue the certificate on behalf of the Secretary of State.
- 13. The apprentice has been directed to the EUIAS Appeals Policy and Complaints Policy.
- 14. The employer/training provider has given the EUIAS at least three months' notice of requesting this EPA for this apprentice.
- 15. If the Gateway Eligibility Report is not completed in full, meeting all requirements, and submitted to EUIAS, the end-point assessment cannot take place.



Signed on behalf of the employer (print name):	Signature:	Date:	
Signed on behalf of the training provider (print name):	Signature:	Date:	
Apprentice's name (print):	Signature:	Date:	
EUIAS use only:	EUIAS use only:		
EUIAS Sign off:			
Comments/actions:			



Appendix C: Practice Multiple-choice Test



Level: 3

Gas Engineering Operative

Supporting Document: Practice Paper

This practice paper reflects the type of questions in the live multiple-choice test, which can be taken as an online test or paper-based test.

This examination consists of 40 multiple-choice questions.

The Pass mark is 28 correct answers.

A mark of 34 or more is a Distinction.

The duration of this examination is 60 minutes.

You must use a **pencil** to complete the answer sheet - pens must NOT be used.

When completed, please leave the examination answer sheet and question paper on the desk.

For this paper:

- the use of a scientific calculator (non-programmable) is permitted
- access to the internet or intranet is NOT allowed

For each question, fill in ONE answer ONLY.

If you make a mistake, ensure you erase it thoroughly.

You must mark your choice of answer by shading in ONE answer circle only. Please mark each choice like this:

MARKING INSTRUCTIONS	
Examples of how NOT to mark your examination sheet. These will not be recorded	
⊗ ⑤ ② ⊗ DO NOT use ticks or crosses.	
A B O DO NOT use circles.	



You may use this page for rough work. This page must not be removed.



Ques	Question 1		
The b	The body responsible for enacting the Environment Act 2021 is called:		
Possible answers			
a)	The Environment Agency		
b)	The Environment Commission		
c)	The Environment Council		
d)	The Environment Executive		

Ques	Question 2		
In 20	In 2015, 17 Sustainable Development Goals were created by:		
Possible answers			
a)	United Kingdom		
b)	United States of America		
c)	United Nations		
d)	European Union		

Question 3			
Whic	Which ONE of the following activities is relevant to the Environment Act 2021?		
Poss	sible answers		
a)	The use of chemicals to remove corrosion from a radiator		
b)	Replacing old company vehicles with new electric-powered vehicles		
c)	Separation of waste following the installation of a central heating system		
d)	The correct positioning of a flue / chimney terminal		



What Part of the Building Regulations provide improvements to support environmental protection in relation to air tightness, building energy performance and building services efficiencies?

Possible answers		
a)	G	
b)	Н	
c)	L	
d)	Р	

Ques	Question 5		
The i	The ignition temperature for natural gas is approximately:		
Possible answers			
a)	404°C		
b)	504°C		
c)	604°C		
d)	704°C		

Ques	Question 6		
	When escaping liquified petroleum gas (LPG) comes into contact with human skin, it could cause:		
Poss	ible answers		
a)	a skin rash		
b)	cold burns		
c)	skin to peel		
d)	mild concussion		



The type of gas space heater that is fitted within a fireplace opening, has a coal bed and an integral heat exchanger.

What type of effect is this gas fire?

Poss	Possible answers	
a)	A radiant fuel effect gas fire	
b)	An inset live fuel effect gas fire	
c)	A room-sealed fuel effect gas fire	
d)	A semi-concealed fuel effect gas fire	

Question 8

When working on a free-standing gas cooker, in a room with a volume of 20 m³, the gas operative must ensure that:

the ga	the gas operative must ensure that:	
Possible answers		
a)	It is only connected to rigid pipework	
b)	It has a method of ensuring stability	
c)	It has been installed beneath an extract system	
d)	It has 100 cm ² of purpose provided ventilation	

Ques	Question 9	
A pos	A positive return air connection fitted to an open-flued warm air heater prevents:	
Possible answers		
a)	cold air being directed to all of the rooms	
b)	dust being circulated around the property	
c)	smells distributed from the kitchen or bathroom	
d)	the circulation fan from interfering with the burner	



Question 10	
To ensure the safe operation of a domestic boiler a combustion analyser will be used to measure the ratio of:	
Possible answers	
a)	carbon monoxide and helium
b)	carbon monoxide and nitrogen
c)	carbon monoxide and hydrogen
d)	carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Question 11	
Increasing the pressure of gas will increase the speed of the air/gas mixture and can cause what to happen?	
Possible answers	
a)	Flame reversion
b)	Flame lift
c)	Flame elevation
d)	Flame retention

Question 12	
The cause of a hob burner on a gas cooker burning with a floppy yellow flame could be:	
Possible answers	
a)	Blocked primary air port
b)	Volume of room or space too high
c)	High oxygen content
d)	Openable window located further than 300 mm from the appliance

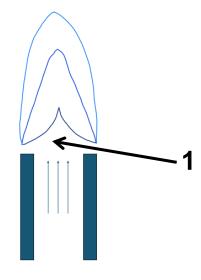


Question 13	
How many atoms make up the chemical formula for methane gas?	
Possible answers	
a)	1
b)	2
c)	4
d)	5

Ques	Question 14	
For e	For each cubic metre (m ³) of natural gas burned, the amount of air required is:	
Possible answers		
a)	4.89 m ³	
b)	9.75 m ³	
c)	23.80 m ³	
d)	82.14 m ³	



The diagram below shows the zones of a pre-aerated flame, what is the name of the zone indicated by number 1?



Poss	Possible answers	
a)	Reaction	
b)	Unburnt gas	
c)	Flame front	
d)	Outer Mantle	

Question 16	
When incomplete combustion occurs, a characteristic smell may be noticed, this smell is:	
Possible answers	
a)	Aldehydes
b)	Carbon Monoxide
c)	Alcohols
d)	Carbon Dioxide



Ques	Question 17	
What type of burner has gas which has been combined with air by a centrifugal fan which forces the mixture into the burner head?		
Possible answers		
a)	Pre-mix	
b)	Pre-aerated	
c)	Post-aerated	

Forced-draught

d)

Ques	Question 18	
What position should doors and windows be in when a spillage test is being carried out?		
Possible answers		
a)	Doors and windows should be open	
b)	Doors and windows should be closed	
c)	Doors should be closed, and windows should be left open	
d)	Doors should be left open, and windows should be closed	

Question 19		
Wher	When installing a fan-flued boiler, the maximum length of the fan-flue system is:	
Possible answers		
a)	stated within the Gas Safety Installation & Use Regulations 1998	
b)	stated within the Health & Safety at Work Act 1974	
c)	stated within the British Standard 5440 – part 2	
d)	stated within the manufacturer's instructions	



The type of flue system which rises from the top of the appliance, takes combustion air from outside and discharges products of combustion outside is called:

Possible answers	
a)	an open flue
b)	a closed flue
c)	a combination flue
d)	a vertical balanced flue

Question 21

Gas Safety Regulation 26(9) states that where a person performs work on a gas appliance they shall immediately thereafter examine:

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Pos	Possible answers	
a)	the meter reading	
b)	the heating circuit	
c)	the effectiveness of the flue	
d)	the electrical supply to the appliance	

Question 22

A domestic gas oven is installed in a room with an openable window direct to outside. The room has a volume of less than 5m³.

What is the required size for the permanent ventilation?

Poss	Possible answers	
a)	35 cm ²	
b)	50 cm ²	
c)	75 cm ²	
d)	100 cm ²	



Ques	Question 23	
	Where a flue passes through a void, which ONE of the following must be provided?	
Poss	Possible answers	
a)	Ventilation throughout its length	
b)	A non-flammable lining throughout the void	
c)	A carbon monoxide (CO) detector at the outlet	
d)	A means to allow a full visual inspection of the installation	

The standard procedure for reinforcing an open-flued chimney involves the use of specially designed clips.

What is the recommended distance between these clips?

vviiai	what is the reconfinenced distance between these clips:	
Possible answers		
a)	1.0 m and at any change of direction	
b)	1.5 m and at any change of direction	
c)	1.8 m and at any change of direction	
d)	2.0 m and at any change of direction	

Question 25

For an open-flued appliance that utilizes combustion ventilation through two or more internal walls, what percentage increase is required for the sizes of the internal vents relating to the external vent?

Poss	Possible answers	
a)	5%	
b)	10%	
c)	20%	
d)	50%	



Which ONE of the following situations would be reportable under the Reporting of Injuries, Diseases and Dangerous Occurrences Regulations 2013 (RIDDOR)?

Daga	ible energy	
Poss	Possible answers	
a)	The installation of a room sealed boiler in a kitchen compartment	
b)	The installation of a gas hob in a room of volume less than 10m ³	
c)	The installation of an open flued boiler in a bathroom	
d)	The installation of a gas fire in a through-room	

Question 27

Which ONE of the following activities must be carried out when looking for a suspected gas escape at a property connected to a natural gas supply?

Possible answers

Possible answers	
a)	Test all flues for safe operation
b)	Apply a tightness test to the installation
c)	Carry out safety checks on all appliances
d)	Test appliances for the presence of carbon monoxide

Question 28

If a member of the public reports a smell of gas in their kitchen, what should the operative instruct them to do?

Possible answers

a)	Turn the gas off at the meter and call Gas Safe Register
b)	Turn the gas off at the meter and call a registered installer
c)	Turn the gas off at the meter and call the gas transporter
d)	Turn the gas off at the meter and call the gas emergency service



What is the category of an unsafe situation where during a tightness test, the pressure drop recorded is greater than the permissible pressure drop relative to the meter size?

Poss	Possible answers	
a)	At Risk	
b)	Concern for Safety	
c)	Immediately Dangerous	
d)	Not to Current Standards	

Question 30

Technical Bulletin 102 states that the preferred position for Protective Equipotential Bonding on a low-pressure meter installation in an external meter box is:

bonding on a low-pressure meter installation in an external meter box is.	
Possible answers	
a)	within the meter box
b)	before the first fitting
c)	next to the appliance
d)	at the point of entry to the building

Question 31

Following a report of fumes, what type of test can be used to identify possible sources of carbon monoxide (CO) around a suspected room sealed appliance?

sourc	ces of carbon monoxide (CO) around a suspected room sealed appliance?		
Possible answers			
a)	Flue flow test		
b)	Tightness test		
c)	Sweep test		
d)	Let-by test		



Ques	Question 32		
What	What is necessary for smart controls to function properly?		
Poss	sible answers		
a)	A fused spur with a 5-amp fuse fitted		
b)	A combination boiler installed after 2020		
c)	A hub device connected to a local internet router		
d)	A network of cables connected to a wiring centre		

What type of hot water system works by the change in the density of the water as it is heated by the boiler, where heated water rises from the boiler and cooler water falls back to the boiler?

Possible answers

a)	Gravity		
b)	Radiant		
c)	Circulating		
d)	Conduction		

Question 34

On a sealed/pressurised system what form of safety device must be fitted to the system to safeguard against the malfunction of the thermostat on the boiler?

Possible answers a) Filling loop b) Expansion Vessel c) Carbon monoxide alarm d) Temperature & pressure relief valve



Ques	Question 35		
To obtain the maximum efficiency from an Air Source Heat Pump the:			
Poss	sible answers		
a)	unit must be fitted above 2 m from the ground		
b)	unit must always be positioned in direct sunlight		
c)	underfloor heating pipework must be fitted at a depth of 500 mm		
d)	temperature difference between the flow and return temperatures must be set correctly		

Before designing a heating system, it is essential to evaluate the required heat supply.

In the process of calculating the heat loss through the building fabric, the operative must multiply the surface area of the building by the temperature differential and what other factor?

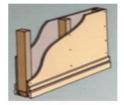
other factor?		
Possible answers		
a)	U-value	
b)	Heat input	
c)	Volume of the room	
d)	Number of air changes	



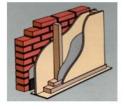
From the images below, determine which image represents a timber-framed cavity wall construction.

Possible answers

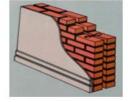
a)



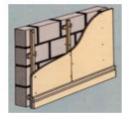
b)



c)



d)



Question 38

In a domestic property, ring circuits that include sockets and fused spur connections will be installed with which of the following:

Possible answers

a)	0.75 mm ² 3 core flex
b)	1.00 mm ² 3 core flex
c)	2.5 mm ² twin core and earth cable
d)	6 mm ² twin core and earth cable



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Where roof surfaces between neighbouring buildings meet, the gap between them is sealed with what item?

Poss	Possible answers		
a)	Felt		
b)	Fascia		
c)	Flashing		
d)	Flaunching		

Question 40

According to Building Regulations Approved Document G, the type of water supplied to a building by a statutory water undertaker, or a licensed water supplier is described as:

is des	is described as:				
Possible answers					
a)	Grey				
b)	Black				
c)	Harvested				
d)	Wholesome				

End of Questions.



Practice Multiple-choice Test

Answer scheme

Question	Answer	Question	Answer
1	А	21	С
2	С	22	D
3	С	23	D
4	С	24	С
5	D	25	D
6	В	26	С
7	В	27	В
8	В	28	D
9	D	29	С
10	D	30	D
11	В	31	С
12	A	32	С
13	D	33	А
14	В	34	D
15	В	35	D
16	А	36	А
17	А	37	В
18	В	38	С
19	D	39	С
20	D	40	D



Appendix D - Level 3 Gas Engineering Operative Practical Assessment with questions Planning Form

Instructions

This form has two purposes:

- To help you plan a practice practical assessment with questions for your apprentices
- 2. To inform EUIAS of the proposed task(s) for the live assessment

Practical Assessment with questions

Up to 4 apprentices may be assessed at one time depending on number of EPA bays at the independent assessment centre. Bays will need to be independent, and the apprentice must not have had any exposure to the bay whilst on-programme.

The apprentice is assessed:

- in a simulated environment selected by EUIAS for example, employer or training providers premises. The simulated environment must relate to the apprentice's natural work environment
- A total of 12 hours is permitted for the practical assessment with questioning
- Equipment and resources needed for the assessment must be provided by the employer or training provider which must be in good and safe working condition

The activities should be designed to assess a broad range of the skills, knowledge and behaviours developed over the period of the apprenticeship. However, as a minimum the practical assessment with questioning must cover the activities and KSBs listed in the Planning Form below.

EUIAS must review the employer/training provider's Practical assessment with questions task brief.

Task variations: If you have more than one apprentice being assessed, use the "Practical Task Variations" section of the form to indicate what the task variations that will be put in place so that apprentices are not asked to complete identical tasks.

Complete the 'Practical Assessment with questions Planning Form' and submit it to the Service Delivery team via enquiries@euias.co.uk, for review 1 month before the start of the end-point assessment.



Practical Assessment with questions Planning Form

Employer name and site address				
Training provider				
(if applicable)				
Standard Gas Engineering Operative				
Level	3			
Location of practical assessment with questions				
Contact Details:				
Employer/training provider				
representative, email address and contact number overseeing the				
setup of the practical (documents				
and site).				
,				
Table 1				
	boxes the practical tasks will allow the			
apprentice(s) to:	·			
Install three different appliance (Primary)	es or pieces of equipment from Table 1			
Commission three different appliances or pieces of equipment from Table 1 (Primary)				
Decommission three different appliances or pieces of equipment from Table 1 (Primary)				
,	vicing □ and fault-finding □ procedures			
on one appliance or piece of equipment from Table 1 (Primary), including the rectification of a pre-loaded fault.				
Confirm tasks for the above have been submitted				
Table 1 (Primary) Appliances	: Please check the box to confirm the applian	ces		
that will be used:				
Central heating and water heat	ing system			
Domestic cooker				
Gas ranger cooker or boiler				
Ducted air heater				
Forced draught gas burner				
Gas fire & wall heater				



LPG single gas storage vessel & service pipework	
LPG single & multi supply gas storage vessel and service pipework	
Testing & purging of non-domestic pipework.	
Table 2	
Install one appliance or piece of equipment from Table 2 (Secondary)	
Commission one appliance or piece of equipment from Table 2 (Secondary)	
Decommission one appliance or piece of equipment from Table 2 (Secondary)	
Please confirm by checking the box the apprentice will undertake practical tasks on appliances or equipment that they have attained 'Matters of Gas Safety Compliance Accreditation'	
Confirm tasks for the above have been submitted	
Table 2 (Secondary) Appliances: Please check the box to confirm the appliances	iances
that will be used:	larious
Swimming pool boiler	
Domestic tumble dryer	
Leisure appliance (for example fixed pipework gaslight or barbeque)	
Instantaneous water heater	
Gas meter (not exceeding 6m3 per hour in capacity)	
Mobile cabinet heater	
Closed flue gas fire	
Caravan space heater	
Single bottle supply leisure equipment (for example LPG barbeque)	
Caravan or boat refrigerator	
Caravan or boat warm air heater	
Caravan water heater	



Electro-fusion jointing of polyethylene pipework and fittings	
Please confirm by checking the boxes that the independent assessor should able to observe the following during the assessment:	be
Compliance with health and safety legislation and regulators	
Use of PPE, safe use of tools and digital equipment	
Completing documentation	
Interpret and follow instruction from technical documentation	
Installation, commissioning and decommissioning of appliances or pieces of equipment	
Fault-finding procedures and rectification of a fault	
Reinstation of the work area	
Provision of guidance specific to the appliance(s)	
Please confirm by checking the box the activities listed above provide the apprentice with the opportunity to demonstrate the KSBs listed below which must be mapped to this assessment method.	



Use the boxes below to confirm the individual KSBs are covered in the above tasks for details see reference table on pages: 33 - 34.

Practical Assessment with Questions	
Theme: Health and Safety	Check box to confirm application to task
K2: Gas Industry Unsafe Situations Procedure (IGEM G11)	
S15 Identify unsafe situations or conditions and take action	
under IGEM G/11 Gas industry unsafe situations procedure.	
K3 Risk assessments, associated procedures and	
documentation	
S10 Undertake and document risk assessments.	
K12 Domestic electrical circuits, safe isolation and electrical	
safety checks in relation to the work being conducted.	
S8 Isolate the electrical supply to the appliance.	
S9 Conduct electrical safety checks pre- and post-work.	
S1 Comply with health and safety practices.	
B1 Prioritise health and safety.	
S13 Select and use personal protective equipment (PPE).	
Theme: Documentation	Check box to confirm application to task
K19 General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR).	
S17 Complete and maintain work records including appliance	
and customer data in accordance with General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR).	
S11 Source, read and follow technical documentation	
associated with equipment and installation requirements.	
S14 Check and action inspection records and schedules.	
S16 Use digital technology to access job, appliance and customer information.	
customer information.	Check box to
Theme: Installation	confirm application to task
K6 Installation and commissioning practices and techniques	
applicable to primary gas appliances	
S2 Install and commission a range of primary appliances, for	
example central heating boilers, gas cookers, space heaters.	_
K7 Installation and commissioning practices and techniques applicable to secondary gas appliances.	
S3 Install and commission a range of secondary appliances, for example laundry appliances, water heaters and gas meters (not	
exceeding 6m ³ in capacity).	
K22 Tools, equipment and test instrumentation used in gas engineering activities.	
S12 Select, use and maintain tools, equipment and test	
instrumentation.	



Theme: Maintenance, servicing and fault-finding	Check box to confirm application to task				
K8 Testing and safety-checking practices applicable to gas appliance types.					
S4 Carry out testing and safety checks applicable to the appliance chimney or flue type.					
K9 Routine and reactive servicing and maintenance practices and techniques applicable to gas appliances and components.					
S5 Carry out routine maintenance and servicing of appliances and components.					
B2 Take responsibility for work					
K10 Fault-finding, diagnosis and rectification practices and techniques applicable to gas appliances, their controls and associated systems.					
S6 Identify and rectify faults in appliances and components.					
Theme: Decommissioning	Check box to confirm application to task				
K11 Decommissioning practices and techniques applicable to gas appliances and systems.					
S7 Decommission appliances and systems.					
the task does not become predictable. Variation 1: Variation 2: Variation 3:					
Special requirements (for example: access arrangements/PPE):	Special requirements (for example: access arrangements/PPE):				
Resources (for example: equipment/tools required):					
Note: Provision of all equipment and resources are the responsibility of the employer/training provider and must be suitable for the task, in good safe working condition and certification where applicable.					



The practical assessm be completed over 2 completed over			ke 12 hours and
Please state time for th	ne practical tas	k(s):	
Please state number o	f days for the p	ractical task(s):	
Remember:			
 The specific detail confidential from 	` '	be undertaken should s	be kept
Practical Assessment wit illustrate task(s)	n Questioning Ta	ask(s): Include relevar	t photographs to
EUIAS Office use only			
Date received			
Date signed off			



Appendix E: Practice Practical Assessment with questions **Template**

Employers/training providers are recommended to arrange for apprentices to carry out a practice Practical Assessment with Questions prior to end-point assessment. The form below is for use by the person playing the part of the independent assessor.

Instructions

This should be read in conjunction with the GEO Specification.

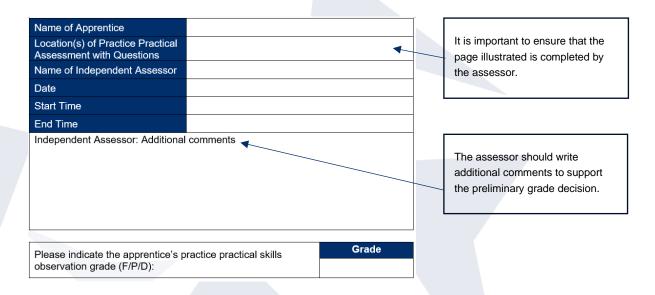
This template has been designed to help the suitable person playing part of the independent assessor and has three purposes:

- 1. To prepare for a practice assessment with questions
- 2. Designed to holistically assess a broad range of the skills, knowledge and behaviours developed over the period of the apprenticeship by the apprentice
- 3. To provide feedback to the apprentice in preparation for the live assessment

The assessor should:

 complete the form below which has two parts to assess the apprentice's Practical Assessment with questions.

Quick Tip – How to complete the form below:





Theme and KSBS: Documentation – K19; \$	S11; S14; S16 and S	S17	7			
To achieve a Pass apprentice must demon-	strate all of the	Р	To achieve a Distinction app demonstrate all of the Pass distinction descriptors		D	Check the box
Sources, reads and follows technical docur associated with equipment and installation to meet the needs of the task. (S11)		□ <	NA		NA	for each descriptor the
Checks and actions inspection reports and using digital technology to access job, appl customer information to complete the task.	liance and					apprentice achieves.
Completes and maintains work records incl appliance and customer data in accordance Data Protection Regulations (GDPR). (K19	e with General 📗					Include the
Assessor comments to justify the evide	nce seen and outc	om	es achieved:	-		time of
Questions asked: Develop open ended que evidence the descriptors above. Ask questi KSBs that did not occur naturally during the Assessment with questions.	ions to assess the					observation fo
Summary of response to question(s)	rantice if the appropr	tion	too failed to most the descrip	atoro abovo		Check the
Feedback that you can provide to the appr	entice if the apprent	lice	rnas railed to meet the descrip	otors above.		relevant box if
				Time of observation	K	failed; pass or
				Fail		distinction is achieved.
				Pass		acilieved.
apprentice to show where they could respo	marise the onse that the entice gave.		Develop some open ended questions in relation to the KSBs.	Include KSB evidence seen that meets the descriptors for the outcomes achieved.		

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Name of Apprentice	
Location(s) of Practice Practical Assessment with Questions	
Name of Independent Assessor	
Date	
Start Time	
End Time	
Independent Assessor: Additional	comments

Please indicate the apprentice's practice practical skills	Grade
observation grade (F/P/D):	

Please Note:

Fail: the apprentice does not demonstrate the pass descriptors.

To achieve a Pass, the Apprentice must achieve all the Pass descriptors.

To achieve a Distinction an apprentice must successfully achieve **all** the Distinction descriptors and **all** of the Pass descriptors.

Assessor questions: during the live assessment, the assessor must ask at least 3 open questions.



Theme and KSBS: Health and Safety - K1; K2; K3; K12; S1; S8; S9; S10; S13	3; S15 an	d B1	
To achieve a Pass apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors	Р	To achieve a Distinction apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors and all of the Distinction descriptors	D
Undertakes and documents risk assessments in line with employer's procedures to prioritise health and safety in the workplace. (K3, S10, B1)		Explains the importance for themselves and the business of	
Selects and uses personal protective equipment complying with health and safety practices and manufacturer's guidance. (S1, S13)		working in line with health and safety practices (S1)	
Isolates the appliance's electrical supply and conducts electrical safety checks before and after undertaking work tasks in line with safety practices and manufacturer's guidance. (K12, S8, S9)			
Identifies unsafe situations or conditions and takes action in line with the gas industry unsafe situations procedure (IGEM G/11). (K2, S15)			
Assessor comments to justify the evidence seen and outcomes achieved	d:		
Questions asked: Develop open ended questions to help evidence the descr above. Ask questions to assess the KSBs that did not occur naturally during the Practical Assessment with questions.			
Summary of response to question(s)			
Feedback that you can provide to the apprentice if the apprentice has failed to	o meet th	e descriptors above.	
		Time of observation	
		Fail	
		Pass	
		Distinction	



Theme and KSBS: Documentation – K19; S11; S14; S16 a	nd S17	7			
To achieve a Pass apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors	Р	To achieve a Distinction apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors and all of the Distinction descriptors	D		
Sources, reads and follows technical documentation associated with equipment and installation requirements to meet the needs of the task. (S11)		NA	NA		
Checks and actions inspection reports and schedules, using digital technology to access job, appliance and customer information to complete the task. (S14, S16)					
Completes and maintains work records including appliance and customer data in accordance with General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR). (K19, S17)					
Assessor comments to justify the evidence seen and outcomes achieved:					
Questions asked: Develop open ended questions to help evidence the descriptors above. Ask questions to assess the KSBs that did not occur naturally during the Practical Assessment with questions.	ne				
Summary of response to question(s)					
Feedback that you can provide to the apprentice if the app	rentice	has failed to meet the descriptors above.			
		Time of observation			
		Fail			
		Pass			



Theme and KSBS: Installation – K6; K7; K22; S2; S3 and	d S12		
To achieve a Pass apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors	Р	To achieve a Distinction apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors and all of the Distinction descriptors	D
Installs and commissions primary gas appliances or equipment in line with manufacturer's guidelines. (K6 S2)		Installs and commissions primary and secondary gas appliances or equipment, in line with manufacturer guidelines achieving the outcome right-first-time in line	
Installs and commissions secondary gas appliances or equipment in line with manufacturer's guidelines. (K7, S3)		with the task requirements. (K6, K7, S2, S3)	
Selects, uses and maintains tools, equipment and test instrumentation to complete the needs of gas engineering tasks. (K22, S12)			
Assessor comments to justify the evidence seen and	d outco	omes achieved:	
Questions asked: Develop open ended questions to he evidence the descriptors above. Ask questions to assess KSBs that did not occur naturally during the Practical Assessment with questions.			
Summary of response to question(s)			
Feedback that you can provide to the apprentice if the a	pprenti	ce has failed to meet the descriptors above.	
		Time of observation	
		Fail	
		Pass	
	-	Distinction	



Theme and KSBS: Maintenance, service and fault-finding	g – K8;	K9; K10; S4; S5; S6 and B2	
To achieve a Pass apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors	Р	To achieve a Distinction apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors and all of the Distinction descriptors	D
Carries out testing and safety checks to meet the needs of the appliance chimney or flue type. (K8, S4)		Rectifies faults in appliances and components achieving a right-first-time outcome to meet the needs	
Carries out routine maintenance and servicing of the appliances and components taking responsibility for their own work to meet the needs of the task. (K9, S5, B2)		of the task. (K10, S6)	
Identifies and rectifies faults in appliances and components to meet the needs of the task. (K10, S6)			
Assessor comments to justify the evidence seen and	doutco	omes achieved:	
Questions asked: Develop open ended questions to he evidence the descriptors above. Ask questions to assess KSBs that did not occur naturally during the Practical Assessment with questions.			
Summary of response to question(s)			
Feedback that you can provide to the apprentice if the a	pprenti	ce has failed to meet the descriptors above.	
		Time of observation	
		Fail	
		Pass	
		Distinction	



Theme and KSBS: Decommissioning– K11 and S7					
To achieve a Pass apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors	Р	To achieve a Distinction apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors and all of the Distinction descriptors	D		
Decommissions appliances and systems in line with manufacturer guidance and to meet the needs of the task. (K11, S7)		Decommissions an appliance and system in line with manufacturer guidance, achieving the result right-first-time. (K11, S7)			
Assessor comments to justify the evidence seen and	doutco	omes achieved:			
Questions asked: Develop open ended questions to he evidence the descriptors above. Ask questions to assess KSBs that did not occur naturally during the Practical Assessment with questions.					
Summary of response to question(s)					
Feedback that you can provide to the apprentice if the a	pprenti	ce has failed to meet the descriptors above.			
		Time of observation			
		Fail			
		Pass			
· ·		Distinction			



Appendix F: Practice Interview based on a portfolio of evidence Template

Employers/training providers are recommended to arrange for apprentices to carry out a practice Interview based on a portfolio of evidence prior to end-point assessment.

Instructions

This should be read in conjunction with the GEO Specification.

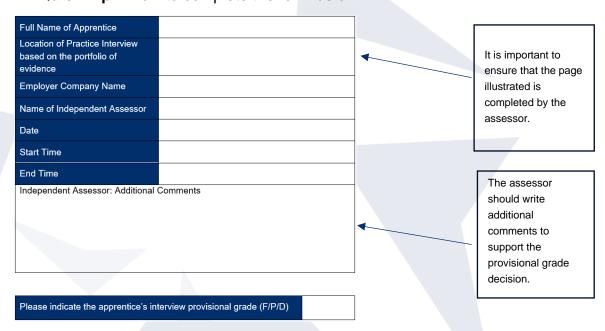
This template has been designed to help the suitable person playing part of the independent assessor and has three purposes:

- 1. To prepare for a practice assessment
- 2. Designed to holistically assess a broad range of the skills, knowledge and behaviours developed over the period of the apprenticeship by the apprentice
- 3. To provide feedback to the apprentice in preparation for the live assessment

The assessor should:

- complete the form below which has two parts to assess the apprentice's Interview.
- review the apprentice's portfolio of evidence before the practice assessment

Quick Tip – How to complete the form below:





Theme and KSBS: Sustainability and health and safety – K1; K18; K24 and To achieve a Pass apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors	D	Check the box for each descriptor the		
Describes how they recycle, reuse and return defective components and disposes of waste to support organisational and regulatory sustainability and energy efficiency practices. (K24, S19) Explains the following sustainability and energy efficiency topics and outlines how they impact their role: green technologies, alternative fuels, energy consumption, energy ratings and how they are calculated (K18) Explains health and safety practices including manual handling, working at height and working in confined spaces. (K1)	business, the industry of reducting deferming deferming was (K24, S19)	e importance for the ir role and the wider gas cycling, reusing and ective components and te disposal practices.		apprentice achieves.
Assessor comments to justify the evidence seen and outcomes achie Questions asked: Develop open ended questions to help evidence the descriptors above. Write down the follow up questions asked Summary of response to question(s) Feedback that you can provide to the apprentice if the apprentice has failed.		Check the fail or pass box to		
Portfolio reference		/ 		confirm the grade for this group.
				g. e ap.
the portfolio of evidence has been questions in relation to the	follow up uestions are sked include em here.	Record the time the question is asked.		

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Full Name of Apprentice	
Location of Practice Interview based on the portfolio of	
evidence	
Employer Company Name	
Name of Independent Assessor	
Date	
Start Time	
End Time	
Independent Assessor: Additional 0	Comments

Please indicate the apprentice's interview provisional grade (F/P/D)

Please Note:

To achieve a Pass, the Apprentice must achieve all of the pass descriptors.

To achieve a Distinction the Apprentice must achieve all of the pass and distinction descriptors.

Fail: The apprentice does not demonstrate the pass descriptors.



Component 3 – Interview based on the portfolio of evidence

Theme and KSBS: Sustainab	ility and health and safety – K1; K1	8; K24 and \$	S19			
To achieve a Pass apprentice descriptors	must demonstrate all of the Pass		Р	must demons	Distinction apprentice trate all of the Pass and all of the Distinction	D
Describes how they recycle, reuse and return defective components and disposes of waste to support organisational and regulatory sustainability and energy efficiency practices. (K24, S19)				Describes the importance for the business, their role and the wider gas industry of recycling, reusing and returning defective components and following waste disposal practices. (K24, S19)		
Explains the following sustainability and energy efficiency topics and outlines how they impact their role: green technologies, alternative fuels, energy consumption, energy ratings and how they are calculated (K18)						
	xplains health and safety practices including manual handling, working theight and working in confined spaces. (K1)					
Assessor comments to just	ify the evidence seen and outcor	nes achiev	ed:			
Questions asked: Develop of evidence the descriptors above						
Write down the follow up qu	estions asked					
Summary of response to qu	estion(s)					
Feedback that you can provide	de to the apprentice if the apprentic	e has failed	to me	eet the descript	ors above.	
Portfolio reference					Time of question(s)	
					Fail	
					Pass	
					Distinction	



Theme and KSBS: Communication – K23 and S18				
To achieve a Pass apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors	Р		ction apprentice must the Pass descriptors and n descriptors	D
Describes how they communicate verbally with customers to provide guidance on energy and efficiency measures specific to the appliance or system being worked on to meet the needs of the audience. (K23, S18)		business of meeting audience when pro	_	
Assessor comments to justify the evidence seen and outcomes a	achieve	ed:		
Questions asked: Develop open ended questions to help evidence the descriptors above.				
Write down the follow up questions asked				
Summary of response to question(s)				
Feedback that you can provide to the apprentice if the apprentice has	failed	to meet the descripto	ors above.	
Portfolio reference			Time of question(s)	
			Fail	
			Pass	
			Distinction	



Theme and KSBS: - Equality, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) K20; S21	and B4		
To achieve a Pass apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors	Р	To achieve a Distinction apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors and all of the distinction descriptors	D
Describes how they apply procedures and support an equitable, diverse and inclusive culture and explains how this impacts their work. (K20, S21, B4)		Explains the importance to the business of applying equity, diversity and inclusion procedures. (K20, S21)	
Assessor comments to justify the evidence seen and outcomes a	achieve	ed:	
Questions asked: Develop open ended questions to help evidence the descriptors above.			
Write down the follow up questions asked			
Summary of response to question(s)			
Feedback that you can provide to the apprentice if the apprentice has	s failed	to meet the descriptors above.	
Portfolio reference		Time of question(s)	
		Fail	
		Pass	
		Distinction	



Theme and KSBS: - Mental health K21					
To achieve a Pass apprentice must demon descriptors	strate all of the Pass	Р		ction apprentice must the Pass descriptors and descriptors	D
Describes common issues, symptoms and warning signs of stress, anxiety and depression, and explains where to go for help and the resources available in their workplace. (K21)			NA		NA
Assessor comments to justify the evide	nce seen and outcomes ach	nieve	d:		
Questions asked: Develop open ended quevidence the descriptors above.	uestions to help				
Write down the follow up questions ask	ed				
Summary of response to question(s)					
Feedback that you can provide to the appr	rentice if the apprentice has fai	iled t	o meet the descripto	ors above.	
Portfolio reference Time of question(s)					
				Fail	
				Pass	



Theme and KSBS: Continuous Professional Development (CPD) -	S20 and E	33		
To achieve a Pass apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors		To achieve a Distinction apprentice must demonstrate all of the Pass descriptors and all of the distinction descriptors	D	
Explains how they carry out and record planned and unplanned learning and development activities in line with organisational CPD requirements. (S20, B3)		NA NA		
Assessor comments to justify the evidence seen and outcome	s achieve	ed:		
Questions asked: Develop open ended questions to help evidence the descriptors above.				
Write down the follow up questions asked				
Summary of response to question(s)				
Feedback that you can provide to the apprentice if the apprentice I	nas failed	to meet the descriptors above.		
Portfolio reference Time of question(s)				
Fail				
		Pass		



Appendix G: Portfolio Mapping Document

Portfolio Mapping Document

This document must be placed at the front of the portfolio and submitted to EUIAS with the portfolio of evidence.

Introduction

Use this document to map the portfolio of evidence to the KSBs assessed during the professional discussion.

Apprentice's next steps

- 1. Complete all the details on the first page and include employer details of where relevant competencies from their experience at work was gained.
- 2. The apprentice can use a number of different types of evidence to demonstrate their competence as described in Section 5 of the Specification 'What to include in the portfolio?'. For further guidance, the apprentice must seek advice from their tutor/supervisor/mentor and training provider.
- 3. Map evidence to the criteria in the following pages using a referencing system indicating where the evidence for the criteria is located in the portfolio e.g., work based evidence Job 1 (J1) page 5 paragraph 2. This will allow the independent assessor to locate the section or specific piece of evidence being discussed and referred to during the professional discussion.
- 4. Place the portfolio mapping document at the front of the portfolio of evidence.

The apprentice's training provider must make arrangements for EUIAS to have access to the apprentice's portfolio including the portfolio mapping document at least 2 weeks before the professional discussion. For apprentices using e-portfolios such as ONEFILE, SMARTASSESSOR, the reference used must simply be the file or folder name you used when uploading the evidence to such systems.



Portfolio Mapping Document

1.1 Mapping Sign off on Portfolio Completion:

Apprentice Name (Print)	Apprentice Signature	Training Provider (Company)	Training Provider Signatory	Date of Sign Off

Sustainability and health and safety Core Knowledge and Skills:

Ref. (KSB)	Apprenticeship Standard Criteria		Portfolio EVIDENCE REFERENCE (Apprentice Input)		
		1	2	3	
K 1	Health and safety practices including manual handling, working at height and working in confined spaces.				
K18	Sustainability and energy efficiency: green technologies, alternative fuels, energy consumption, energy ratings and how they are calculated.				
K24	Principles of recycling, reusing and returning defective components and disposal of waste.				
S19	Recycle, reuse, return defective components and dispose of waste.				

Communication Core Knowledge and Skills:

			Portfolio		
Ref. (KSB)		E	VIDEN	CE	
	Apprenticeship Standard Criteria	REFERENCE			
		(Apprentice Input)			
		1	2	3	
	Verbal communication techniques. Giving and				
K23	receiving information. Matching style to audience.				
	Barriers in communication and how to overcome them. Industry terminology.				
	Communicate verbally with customers, including				
S18	the provision of guidance on energy and efficiency				
	measures specific to the appliance or system being				
	worked on.				



Equality, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) Core Knowledge, Skills and Behaviours:

Ref. (KSB)	Apprenticeship Standard Criteria	Portfolio EVIDENCE REFERENCE (Apprentice Input)		
		1	2	3
K20	Principles of equity, diversity and inclusion in the workplace and the impact on their work.			
S21	Apply equity, diversity and inclusion procedures.			
B4	Support an equitable, diverse and inclusive culture.			

Mental Health Core Knowledge:

	Apprenticeship Standard Criteria	Portfolio		
Ref. (KSB)		EVIDENCE		
		REFERENCE		
		(Apprentice Input)		
		1	2	3
1.50.4	Common issues, symptoms and warning signs of			
K21	stress, anxiety and depression, including where to			
	go for help and the resources available.			

Continued Professional Development (CPD) Core Skills and Behaviours:

	Apprenticeship Standard Criteria	Portfolio		
Ref. (KSB)		EVIDENCE		
		REFERENCE		
		(Apprentice Input)		
		1	2	3
S20	Carry out and record planned and unplanned learning and development activities.			
В3	Committed to continued professional development (CPD) to maintain and enhance competence in			
	own area of practice.			



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